

THE GAZETTE.

FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 13.

How a Businessman Went to Ruin.—It is but a few years since, says the Chicago Journal, that the house of Bonett, Pieters & Co., wholesale liquor dealers, and proprietors of the "Red Jacket Bitters," stood high among our best known, most enterprising and responsible firms. In almost every paper of the country their advertisements were to be seen. Mr. Pieters was a man of fine abilities, and besides being shrewd and successful in business he was possessed of superior scholarly attainments. His home was among the most elegant and refined in the city, adorned in the most chaste and beautiful manner, and gracefully presided over by his wife, an estimable and accomplished lady. While in the full tide of prosperity, with wealth pouring in upon him, Pieters fell. He could not resist the temptation offered by the demon concealed beneath the rosy hue of the wine cup, and his imagination was heightened and his brain exhilarated by the sparkling champagne or his own bitters.

The high reputation of his firm began to feel the effects of his downward course, and finally came the crash. Pieters was ruined; he struggled vainly for a time, but the power of the fiend with which he had so long tampered was too great, and nervous, and unresistingly he was hurried to the consummation of his career. His elegant home soon followed his business, and he was swallowed up in the general ruin, or went to gratify still more his unceasing thirst for drink, until at last he and they were homeless and well-nigh friendless. A few months since he enlisted in the United States service as a private soldier, and is now with his regiment somewhere on the great plains of the West. His broken-hearted wife has filed a petition for a legal separation from him, alleging that she has been reduced to utter poverty and misery through her husband's love of intoxicating drink. The story of her misfortunes is indeed heartrending, and if anything were yet needed to urge on the friends of temperance and reform it would be found in the terrible fate of Pieters and his innocent family.

PROFESSIONAL.

TH. HUGHES,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
No. 42 St. Paul st.,
BALTIMORE.
Special attention to collecting debts.

REFERENCES:
Judge R. C. L. Moncure, President Supreme Court of the State of Virginia.
Prof. John B. Minor, LL.D., University of Virginia.
Rev. W. Kenney, D.D., Odessa, Del.
Thomas Hughes & Co., Wheeling, W. Va.
Robert Moore & Bro., Baltimore, Md.
Baltimore, Nov. 14-202m

J. R. LAMBDIN,
ARCHITECT.
Will furnish
DRAWINGS,
DESIGNS and
SPECIFICATIONS,
for all kinds of BUILDINGS,
Corner King and Fairfax streets, over Burke
& Herbert's Banking House. sep 9-3m

KENT & NEALE,
ATTORNEYS,
AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW.
Practice in the Courts of the city of Alexandria,
the adjoining counties, and of the District
of Columbia.
General CLAIM and PENSION AGENTS.
Office, No. 684 Prince street, Alexandria, Va.
oct 27-1f

DR. JAMES B. HODGKIN.
DENTAL SURGEON.
(Graduate Baltimore College Dental Surgery.)
Office and Residence, 111 Prince Street,
(Two doors above Royal.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Nitrous Oxide Gas administered. [aug 2-4f]

FOR SALE
by
BURKE & HERBERT.
The following Real Estate Securities:
FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS LYNNB'G.
AND DANVILLE R. R. Co., 6s, at 75 and acc-
rued interest; interest payable 1st April and 1st
October; guaranteed by Orange and Alexan-
dria R. R. Co.; free of State tax.
ALEXANDRIA CORPORATION BONDS
FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS WEST WIS-
CONSIN R. R. Co., 7 per cent gold, interest payable
January and July, at 92 1/2 and interest.
Above bonds sold free of commissions.
We BUY and SELL STOCKS and BONDS
on commission, negotiate loans, &c., make col-
lections on all accessible points, and will give
prompt attention to any business entrusted to us.
sep 9-1f

W. D. CORSE, M. D., CORSE, J. D. CORSE.
BANKING HOUSE OF
WILMER D. CORSE & CO.,
Nos. 57 and 59 King St.,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
Will deal in
DOMESTIC EXCHANGE, GOLD AND SIL-
VER COIN, UNCURRENT MONEY,
RAILROAD BONDS, &c., &c.

GOVERNMENT BONDS and other securities
bought and sold on commission.
Collections made on all accessible points in the
United States, and proceeds promptly remitted.
Internal Revenue stamps for sale. sep 1-1f

PRESENTS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.
I am each day adding to my stock of FINE
GOODS, consisting of Jewelry, Lace and Linen
Collars, Lace and Linen Handkerchiefs, Ladies'
Neckwear of all kinds, Scarfs, Boys' Ties, &c.,
Kid Gloves, all sizes, shades and prices. These
goods have been selected for and will make ac-
ceptable Holiday presents.
dec 12
C. C. BERRY, 72 King st.

1872 HOLIDAY GOOD.—I have just
received large invoices of goods
suitable for Holiday presents. Dolls, Doll
Hats, Bodies, Arms, &c., all sizes and prices;
Cups and Saucers, Vases, Ornaments, Smoking
Stems, Mugs, Toilet Sets, Mechanical Toys, &c.,
all of which will be sold at the lowest cash prices.
dec 12
C. C. BERRY, 72 King street.

NOTICE.
On and after Friday morning, the
13th instant, until further notice, the FERRY
BOATS between Alexandria and Washington
will make their first trip at 8 a. m. and last trip
at 8 p. m.
S. S. HOBSON,
dec 12-4f
Pres. Pot. Ferry Co.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,
That application will be made to the Cor-
poration of Alexandria for the renewal of a
CERTIFICATE OF STOCK for \$200, dated
1852, and standing in the name of Mary Ann
Mason; the same having been lost, mislaid or
destroyed.
dec 12-4w

VEGETABLE CATHARTIC SYRUP.—This
article has now been in use for over
twenty years, and is, without exception, one of
the best remedies for children that can be made.
Being pleasant to the taste is one of its great
values. Prepared and for sale by
nov 29
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

PINEAPPLE, English Dairy and Edam
CHEESE for sale by
WM. RAMSAY,
nov 20
Corner King and St. Asaph st.

A CARGO OF HAY just arrived at
A. WALL'S,
nov 18-1m
20 King street.

SKATES! SKATES!—An assortment for
sale by JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,
dec 11
68 King street.

SUGAR-CURED BEEF TONGUES in store
and for sale at 17 F. BROOKES & BRO.
dec 10

COOKING WINES and BRANDIES for
sale by AVERY & DAVIDSON,
dec 7
225 King st., cor. Alfred.

SLEIGH BELLS, Sleigh Baskets, Sleigh
Runners, &c., at
dec 12
JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

LADIES' FINE SHOES at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' HANDSOME BUTTON BOOTS
At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' WALKING BOOTS—A splendid
stock, at very low prices, at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

**LADIES' PARLOR AND TOILET SLIP-
PERS,** Ladies' French Kid Broadway, Lad-
ies' Lasting Broadway, Turkey Morocco Broad-
way, French Kid Toilet, Cassimere Toilet, Last-
ing Toilet, Serge and Carpet Slippers, in every
style and quality, at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' LASTING BOOTS—A large stock
and variety of new styles, beautiful
and very cheap, at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

NEW STYLES LADIES' GAITERS at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

MISSES' LASTING BOOTS, in every style,
quality and price, at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

**MISSES' WALKING AND SCHOOL
BOOTS**—A large stock in every style and
quality; prices low, at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

MISSES' FINE BUTTON BOOTS at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

**GENTLEMEN'S FINE DRESS BOOTS
and SHOES**—A large stock of new styles,
very handsome, of the best quality and at low
prices, at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

**CHILDREN'S SCHOOL AND WALKING
BOOTS**—A large stock and great variety of
styles, at very reduced prices, at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

INFANTS' BOOTS and SLIPPERS—A fine
stock, in every color, style and quality, at
very reasonable prices, at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

BOYS' and YOUTH'S DRESS SHOES—A
good stock of new styles, of fine quality, at
low prices, at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

BOYS' KIP BOOTS, Boys' Calf Boots,
Youth's Calf and Kip Boots, Children's
Kip and Calf Boots, at greatly reduced prices,
at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

**LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S
RUBBERS,** at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

A LARGE STOCK OF HEAVY GOODS,
A suitable for the country, to which we in-
vite the special attention of country merchants,
as they will be sold very low for money.
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

CHILDREN'S BOOTS, new styles, at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' HOUSE SHOES—Large stock and
great variety, suitable for old ladies, at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

BOYS' and YOUTH'S BOOTS, Kip and Calf,
good and cheap, at
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' FINE WALKING BOOTS at
oct 10
WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

DRY GOODS.
MILLINERY, FANCY & HAIR GOODS.
I would call the attention of the ladies to my
assortment of MILLINERY GOODS of every
description, which is still complete, and will be
sold very cheap. Cambric and Lace Edgings
and Insertings, also Real Edgings and Insert-
ings. Also have just received direct from New
York a fine lot of HAIR GOODS, consisting of
Real Hair Switches, Coronet Plaits in Hair and
Thread, Hair Puffs, Curis, &c., also Thread
and Jute Chignons, Hair Braids, and Jute
Switches—all of which will be sold below the
regular prices for cash. Call and see them at
Mrs. C. L. SIMPSON'S,
nov 25
Near Wash. depot.

**CASSIMERE SUITINGS AND OVER-
COATINGS.**
Received this morning a very large addition
to our stock of the above, some of them at great-
ly reduced prices.
GRAY and BROWN CHEVOITS, of which
we can furnish a very handsome business suit
for \$26—a great bargain. Call and see them at
nov 22
WIMMER & SLAYMAKERS.

A CARD.—I take pleasure in informing my
friends and the public that I have made an
arrangement with Mr. Wm. H. Baker, No. 118
King street, Alexandria, Va., where I hope to
have the pleasure of showing you an
elegant assortment of FIRST-CLASS DRY
GOODS. Our stock is at all times very large
and complete, and I feel confident in asking
your patronage that I can make it to your
advantage to deal with me. We sell at the lowest
cash prices. As my position will in some in-
stances depend upon the amount of trade I can
bring to the house, your kind notice of this will
be duly appreciated by
WM. BAKER,
nov 9-125
Alexandria, Va.

NEW GOODS.—Cheap Collars for ladies, an-
other supply, beautiful, and paper that over-
Linen Collars for ladies, very cheap; a splendid
stock of Balmain Skirts; Corsets, all sizes and
qualities, also little girls' Corsets, a new article;
Hoop Skirts; Merino Underwear; Children's
Merino Suits, just out, all sizes; Water-proof
Clothing, Green, Brown and Black, &c.; a large
stock of Cloth, Flannels, Domestic, Housekeep-
ing Goods, Ladies' Dress Goods, &c.
nov 14
ROBT. L. WOOD.

HAY, B. HOOMES, Late of Fredericksburg.
W. A. ASHBY, Late of Baltimore
NEW STORE.
We have opened and now offer for sale to the
citizens of Alexandria at the public generally, at
our newly fitted up store, corner of King
and Pitt streets, one of the largest and most
attractive stocks of
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS,
NOTIONS, &c. Our stock has been
selected with a view to suit the wants and tastes
of the entire community, embracing, as it does,
goods of every variety of style and fabric, and at
all prices. We ask an examination of our stock.
Respectfully,
HOOVES, ASHBY, & CO.,
ap 8
109 cor. King and Pitt st.
Salesmen—Eli H. Janney, Edwin W. Jett,
W. A. Lane, R. Stuart Ashby.

PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION.—We
would again call the attention of our cus-
tomers and the public generally to this invalu-
able Cough Remedy. We have never before
sold a Proprietary Medicine that has given such
great and universal satisfaction. We have re-
ceived strong testimonials from some of our best
known citizens, who decline to let their names
appear in print, but whose names can be ascer-
tained at our store. Price one dollar per bottle,
or six bottles for five dollars. The trade sup-
plied at Proprietor's lowest rates. We are ship-
ping it in large quantities to as distant points as
Charleston, Savannah and Mobile.
JANNEY & CO.,
dec 6
No. 145 King st.

TO THE LOVERS OF THE FINE ARTS.
The largest and most elegant and best selected
assortment of
FINE CHROMOS
AND
ENGLISH ENGRAVINGS
ever offered in this city—selected with great care.
A choice selection of PICTURE FRAMES
in stock and made to order.
A choice selection of WALL PAPERS, WIN-
DOW SHADES, CORNICES, CURTAINS,
&c., &c., at
J. P. CLARKE'S,
nov 26
No. 158 King street.

AGRICULTURAL LIME
6,000 bushels WOOD-BURNED SHELL
LIME, an excellent Fertilizer, for sale in lots
to suit, by
SHINN & CO.,
sep 19
13 Union st.

GLYCERINE HAIR TONIC.—A delightful
and fragrant dressing for the hair, pro-
moting its growth and keeping it soft and
smooth. Price fifty cents per bottle. Prepared
and for sale only by
JANNEY & CO.,
dec 9

THE VERY BEST SYRUP IN TOWN for
sale by
CHINESE TEA COMPANY,
nov 22
11 North Royal street.

SHAWLS! Shawls! Shawls!
Received by express to-day another large
stock of rich and beautiful shawls.
nov 18
HOOVES & ASHBY.

COMMISSION-MERCHANTS.

J. C. MILBURN,
Wholesale and Retail
GROCER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
NEW STORE,
No. 19 North Royal st. and cor. Market alley,
Alexandria, Va.

The proximity of this store to the Market
House, "the centre of trade," will enable me to
obtain good prices for Flour, Grain and Country
Produce consigned to my care.
Consignments and orders for Groceries re-
spectfully solicited. They will receive careful
and prompt attention. oct 26-1f

D. D. GOULD & WILKINSON,
(Successors to W. F. Henderson.)
GROCERY, LIQUOR & GENERAL COM-
MISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 30 North Royal st.,
Alexandria, Va.

Dealers in GROCERIES, TEAS, COFFEES,
SUGARS, CIDER, VINEGAR, BACON,
WHISKY, BRANDY, WINES, SCOTCH
ALE, PORTER, &c.
Also, Eastern and Potomac SHAD, HER-
RING and MACKEREL.
Choice brands of SEGARS and TOBACCO
always on hand.
CLOVER and TIMOTHY SEED. A large
invoice of GRASSES just received.
Strict attention paid to the sale of COUNTRY
PRODUCE. mh 26-1f

W. A. SMOOT,
DEALER IN
SALT, COAL AND PLASTER.
SMOOTH'S WHARF,
(Foot of Princess st.)
feb 21-1f
Alexandria, Virginia.

R. M. LAWSON,
(Successor to Brewis & Lawson.)
GROCER & COMMISSION MERCHANT,
Nos. 67 and 69 Cameron street,
Alexandria, Va.
Orders and consignments solicited. feb 13

HOOE & JOHNSTON,
(Successors to Fowle & Co.)
NO. 2 PRINCE STREET.
GENERAL
COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERCHANTS.
Dealers in all kinds of
FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER
Agents of the
NEW YORK STEAMSHIPS.

Also of the
LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE IN-
SURANCE COMPANY.
feb 5-1f

J. N. T. HENDERSON & CO.,
GENERAL
PRODUCE & COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 8 South Union street,
Alexandria, Virginia.

Plaster, Guano, Fish, &c., furnished at
lowest market prices. Highest market prices
guaranteed for Grain and Produce, and prompt
returns. aug 2-1y

F. G. SWAINE,
GROCER & COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 22 North Royal street,
On hand and for sale a well selected stock of
GROCERIES.
Consignments of GRAIN, COUNTRY PRO-
DUCE, &c., respectfully solicited. Strict at-
tention paid to sales, and prompt returns guaran-
teed. jy 19-1f

THOMAS PERRY,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT
AND AGENT FOR
MAGNUM BONE AND BAUGH'S
RAW BONE PHOSPHATE,
No. 17 King street, Alexandria, Va.
Particular attention given to the sale of all
kinds of Country Produce, and filling orders for
Guano, Plaster, Farming Implements, Seeds,
Groceries, Fish, Salt, Lime, &c., at lowest
market rates. aug 31-1f

GEORGE WASHINGTON, W. W. HERBERT,
WASHINGTON & HERBERT,
(Successors to Geo. Washington.)
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 11 North Union st.,
Alexandria, Va.

Particular attention given to the sale of all
kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling
orders for GROCERIES, GUANO, SEEDS,
PLASTER, FISH, SALT, LIME, &c., at the
lowest market prices. feb 1-1f

SHINN & CO.,
(Successors to Samuel Hartley.)
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS
No. 13 Union street,
Alexandria, Va.

Particular attention paid to the selling of
FLOUR, GRAIN and all kinds of COUNTRY
PRODUCE, and filling all orders for GROCE-
RIES, GUANO, PLASTER, SEEDS, &c., &c.,
at the lowest market rates.
Agents for the sale of James S. Welch's
celebrated brands of FAMILY FLOUR,
HYDRAULIC CEMENT. jan 6-1f

J. BRODERS & CO.,
No. 11 King street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
Wholesale Dealers in
GROCERIES,
LIQUORS,
PROVISIONS,
SALT FISH,
AND PRODUCE.

Also keep on hand a general assortment of
Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Nails, Lime, Packing, Oils,
Lamps and Ship and Naval Stores.
All orders and consignments promptly attend-
ed to, and goods forwarded without delay to con-
signees on arrival.
Agents for Dupont's Gunpowder.
XXX Ale and Porter always on hand.
For the Baltimore and Potomac Trans-
portation line. mh 10-1f

DAVY & HARMON,
GROCERS FEED & COMMISSION MER-
CHANTS,
Corner Princess and Royal sts.,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Special attention given to the sale of Country
produce. my 3-1f

JOHN A. FIELD,
(Successor to William Buckingham.)
Manufacturer and Dealer in
CIGARS, TOBACCO, SNUFF, PIPES,
&c., &c., &c.,
No. 71 KING STREET.
Give me a call. jan 8-1f

THE UNDERSIGNED having received
from the County Court of Fairfax county
letters of administration on the estate of WILL-
IAM FULLER, late of said county, deceased,
this is to give notice to all persons indebted to
said estate to make immediate payment; and all
persons having claims against said estate are
hereby warned to present them to me, duly au-
thenticated, on or before the 19th day of No-
vember, 1873, or they may be by law excluded
from all benefit in said estate.
JEROME LINTON,
nov 30-w4w
Administrator.

NEW GOODS. Just received—
Black Gro. Grain Silks, Prints,
Bleached Goods, 10-14 and 11-4 Sheetings,
Pillow Case Cottons, Gingham,
10-14 and 11-4 Blankets, some very fine.
Cassimeres and Cloths.
Real French Black Water-proofs,
Poplins, Black and all the shades.
dec 4
J. M. STEWART.

\$100,000.00.

GRAND GIFT CONCERT,

AND
PRESENTATION TO THE HOLDERS OF
TICKETS OF
275 BEAUTIFULLY LOCATED
COTTAGE LOTS,
VUE DE L'EAU,
ON HAMPTON ROADS,
(OPPOSITE FORTRESS MONROE, VA.)
TOGETHER WITH
\$30,000 IN GREENBACKS.

The new, attractive and beautifully located
Southern Sea-side watering place, named
VUE DE L'EAU,
on Hampton Roads, nearly opposite Fortress
Monroe, Va., in full view of that fortress, Fort
Calhoun, Chesapeake Bay and James river, with
a water view unsurpassed in America, where
every luxury of sea and land is attainable, was
opened to the public for the first time the past
season, and having proved a success unparalleled
in the history of seaside resorts, has induced
the stockholders to make an effort to greatly en-
large its capacity so as to accommodate the
great public. To this end they have determined
to offer inducements of no ordinary character,
in the shape of a

GRAND GIFT CONCERT,
by means of which they hope to be able to ex-
ecute their public spirited and laudable under-
taking of making VUE DE L'EAU the

GRAND SEA-SIDE RESORT OF THE
SOUTH, THE SOLE OBJECT OF
THE ENTERPRISE

As inducements to the public every where to
purchase tickets, they propose to present as

CHRISTMAS GIFTS
to the purchasers of tickets, by distribution by
lot, the following magnificent gifts:

1 Gift in Greenbacks of \$5,000..... \$5,000
5 Gifts in Greenbacks of \$1,000 each..... 5,000
20 Gifts in Greenbacks of \$500 each..... 10,000
75 Beautifully located Cottage Lots, "by
the sea," 30 by 130 feet, at Vue de
l'Eau, valued at \$240 each..... 30,000
200 other beautifully located Cottage
Lots, 25 by 130 feet, at Vue de
l'Eau, valued at \$200 each..... 40,000
100 Gifts in Greenbacks, of \$100 each..... 10,000
401 Gifts, valued at..... \$100,000

20,000 TICKETS—ONLY \$5 EACH
THE GRAND CONCERT WILL TAKE
PLACE IN THE
NORFOLK OPERA HOUSE,
ON MONDAY EVENING, DEC. 28, 1872.

And will in itself be a full consideration for the
price charged for admission to the concert. The
tickets will take place im-
mediately after the concert, on the vast stage of
the Opera House and in full view of the au-
dience, under the immediate supervision of the
President and Directors of the Vue de l'Eau
Company, and the following distinguished gen-
tlemen, who have kindly consented to be present
and see that the gifts are properly distributed as
advertised:

Hon. John R. Ludlow, Mayor of Norfolk.
Hon. A. S. Watts, Mayor of Portsmouth.
Hon. Walter H. Taylor, of Norfolk.
Hon. John B. Whitehead, Ex-Mayor of Nor-
folk.
James G. Holladay, esq., of Portsmouth.

The Board of Directors is composed of the fol-
lowing gentlemen, whose well known character
for integrity, honor and public enterprise are so
well known as to guarantee success and a fair
and impartial distribution of the gifts:

Major George W. Grice, President Bank of
Portsmouth.
Col. William Lamb, President First National
Bank of Norfolk.
Gen. V. D. Groner, General Agent Boston
Steamship Company.
Capt. Nathaniel Burruss, of Burruss, Son & Co.,
Bankers, Norfolk.
Wash. Reed, esq., of Peters & Reed, Merchants.
E. G. Ghio, Superintendent Seaboard and Ro-
anoke Railroad.
Robt. J. Neeley, esq., R. J. & W. Neeley & Co.,
Marshall and Dry Goods, President Albemarle and
Chesapeake Canal Co.
E. C. Lindsey, esq., Real Estate Broker.
William H. White, esq., Attorney at Law,
Norfolk.

The distribution will be by blindfolded persons,
or blind children, from two wheels, one of which
will contain gifts on printed slips, sealed in en-
velopes of the same size; the other will contain
tags with numbers on them corresponding with
all the tickets sold. After the contents of both
wheels are thoroughly mixed by revolving, the
person at the first wheel will take a number
therefrom, and then the person at the second
wheel will take a gift therefrom, and the gift
thus taken will belong to the number taken im-
mediately before it—this process will continue—
the numbers and gifts being publicly announced
until the whole four hundred and one gifts are
distributed. Thus the public will readily see
there can be no fraud, collusion or knowledge of
what gift any number will get.

Should the tickets be not all sold when the
concert comes off, the presents will be distrib-
uted in proportion to the number sold.
It is hoped the public will promptly respond
to this effort to establish upon a firm basis a de-
lightful resort during the heated months.

TICKETS ONLY \$5 EACH.
Currency gifts will be paid in CASH at our
Banking House, in the city of Norfolk, on pre-
sentation of the tickets entitled thereto without
discount.
For further particulars and for tickets apply
to the undersigned, who have undertaken the
exclusive financial management of this scheme,
and who alone are authorized to appoint agents
for the sale of tickets.

BURRUSS, SON & CO.,
Bankers and Fin. Agts. Vue de l'Eau Co.,
Norfolk, Virginia.
N. B.—All correspondence strictly confi-
dential. Parties living out of the city can remit by
postoffice order or express.

RELIABLE AGENTS WANTED.
GEO. E. FRENCH, 95 King st.,
nov 12-w6w
Agent for the sale of tickets.

STEAMBOATS.

CLYDE'S STEAM LINES
TO
PHILADELPHIA, PROVIDENCE AND
BOSTON.

Steamers leave Alexandria EVERY WED-
NESDAY and SATURDAY, at 12 o'clock
m. Leave Philadelphia EVERY
WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, at 12 o'clock
m. This line connects at Alexandria with the O.
A. & M. and W. O. R. R., and at Philadel-
phia with the new and popular "Iron Line," for
Providence and Boston.

Freight forwarded with promptness and care,
free of commissions.
No charge for transfer in Philadelphia, and
no wharfage in Boston. Through rates and through
bills of lading given. Insurance guaranteed at
less than usual rates.

Agents:
F. A. REED, Alexandria.
WM. F. CLYDE & CO., Philadelphia.
GEO. F. HYDE, Georgetown, D. C.
je 21-1f

OFFICE POTOMAC FERRY CO.,
Washington, April 29, 1872.
On and after Wednesday next, 1st
steamers of this line will make
HOURLY TRIPS between Alexandria and
Washington.
First trip..... 5.45 a. m.
Last trip..... 7 p. m.
S. S. HOBSON, President.

NORFOLK AND BOSTON.
The steamer LADY OF THE LAKE, con-
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